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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Professional Meetings

1. I have had several inquiries from Finance Division and individual offices as to whether, under the professional meetings clause of section 8(a) of Public Law 110, there should not be on record a statement by the Director on this subject.

2. After a review of the problem I have advised Finance that no
exception need be taken to any expenditures approved by office heads or
the Director of Training. Nevertheless, it appears that technically the
statute calls for a policy statement by the Director. I have so advised
the Office of Training which will undertake to draft the
necessary language into an Agency Regulation to be authenticated by the
Director. will be back in touch with us.

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